Committee on Council

A Resolution to establish a policy for the retention of the personal staff for a Council District or Post during the period a temporary vacancy of the elected official occurs

WHEREAS, Council Assistants are Permanent part-time employees hired by Council members to provide support to the elected official in the performance of their official duties; and

WHEREAS, there is a possibility that a Council member(s) may resign to seek the office of President of Council; and

WHEREAS, if such a vacancy occurs, Council would begin the process of appointing a temporary replacement to fill the vacancy until a duly elected replacement takes the oath of office; and

WHEREAS, during the period beginning with the resignation of the elected official until the Council confirms a temporary replacement, support to the citizens represented by the District or Post should be maintained

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Atlanta Council desires to maintain important constituent services in any District or Post so affected by the resignation of an elected official by retaining a minimum of two (2) of the current permanent part-time employees;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Director of Council Staff is hereby authorized to supervise the retained permanent part-time staff, approve their continued payroll compensation at the current rates and approve miscellaneous office expenses for any ordinary and necessary office supplies and safeguard all City assets.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that this authority ceases upon the appointment of a temporary replacement and this policy does not create a right of continued employment.

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04-R-0740 ESTAB POLICY RETENTION PERSONAL STAFF F/COUNCIL DIST/POST DURING TEMP VACANCY FILE

YEAS: 13
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 3
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 0

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## Regular Session

04-R-0740 ESTAB POLICY RETENTION PERSONAL STAFF F/COUNCIL DIST/POST DURING TEMP VACANCY FILE

YEAS: 11
NAYS: 1
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 4
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 0

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